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Computer-implemented methods for distributed workflow processing are presented. A first workflow system and a second workflow system process actions of a workflow. An action is identified (110) within a workflow, wherein the workflow is processing within a first environment, and wherein the action is associated with a second environment. At least one of the action and the workflow is communicated (120) to the second environment, and authenticated (130) via an identity service, and if authenticated, the action is processed (150) by the service in the second environment. The workflow is coordinated through one or more identity services (302). The identity services also establish trusted and secure communications between the first and second workflow systems.

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